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Sir:

In response to the request to comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825, that accompanied the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed March 16, 2006, Applicants submit herewith the required paper copy and computer readable copy of the Substitute Sequence Listing. Please amend the specification as follows.

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Amdt. dated June 14, 2006

Reply to Notification of Missing Requirements of March 16, 2006

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 8 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 15 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 30 of this paper.